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PERSONAL FOR HABIB FROM TOON

E.O. 11652: GDS TAGS: PFOR, UR

SUBJECT: PERSONAL FOR HABIB FROM TOON

1. ACCORDING TO PRESS-- REGRETTABLY MY PRINCIPAL SOURCE OF INFORMATION THESE DAYS -- THERE HAVE BEEN THREE MEETINGS WITH DOBRYNIN SINCE INAUGUARTION DAY. I HAVE BEEN TOLD NOTHING OFFICIALLLY, AND WHILE TASS, GWERTZMAN, MARDER AND FOREIGN OFFICE COLLEAGUES HAVE PROVIDED BITS AND PIECES OF WHAT APPARENTLY TRANSPIRED, I AM SURE YOU WILL AGREE SUCH CHANNELS SHOULD NOT BE THE SOLE SOURCES OF INFORMATION ON VITAL BILATERAL TALKS TO AN AMBASSADOR IN A KEY CAPITAL. I HAVE, OF COURSE, HEARD RUMBLINGS ABOUT THE ADMINISTRATION'S DESIRE TO HAVE THEIR OWN MAN IN MOSCOW. THIS ADMITTEDLY IS THEIR PRIVILEGE, BUT MEANWHILE I AM THE AMBASSADOR, I HAVE AN IMPORTANT JOB TO DO, AND I SHOULD BE KEPT INFORMED.

2. PLEASE DISCUSS THIS BLEAT WITH THE SECRETARY AND LET ME KNOW SOONEST WHY THE DEAFENING SILENCE FROM THE WASHINGTON END.
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